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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought in the application entitled:

STRETCHER CONTROLS

specification of which _____, the

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

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